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November 17, 2005

NIXON & VANDERHYE, PC
901 NORTH GLEBE ROAD, 11TH FLOOR
ARLINGTON, VA 22203
US

Dear Sir/Madam,

Your refund request for 10522240 in the amount of \$400.00 has been denied.

The \$400 in question was refunded back to the credit card on 7/26/05.

Rita White
Sincerely,
RITA WHITE
PCT - National
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Subject: **REQUEST FOR REFUND TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT**

Deposit Account No. 14-1140
Statement Date: July 2005
Date Posted: 07/26
Seq: 14; Posting Ref Text: 10522240
Fee Code: 1642; \$400.00
Our Ref.: 540-547

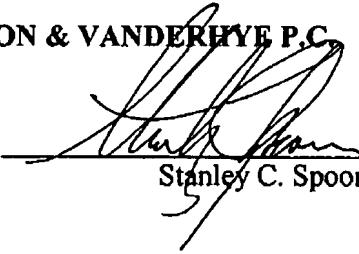
To whom it may concern:

Regarding the Monthly Statement of Deposit Account dated July 2005, (copy attached), we believe there is a fee related error therein, which has resulted in a charge to our Deposit Account that appears to be unwarranted. Please refer to the following explanation and issue a refund as soon as possible.

Applicant previously paid the \$500.00 search fee, fee code 1632, with the original application papers (see Credit Card Payment form of January 25, 2005, copy attached). It is believed that the \$400.00 search fee, fee code 1642, charged to our Deposit Account is in error. Accordingly, please credit Deposit Account No. 14-1140 in the amount of \$400.00 (fee code 1642) to offset the incorrect charge.

Very truly yours,

NIXON & VANDERHYE P.C.

By: 

Stanley C. Spooner

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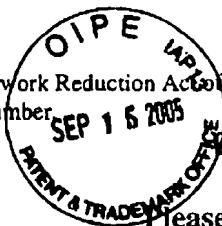
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Credit Card Payment Form

Please read Instructions before Completing this Form

Credit Card Information

Credit Card Type: American Express

Credit Card Account #: 37 [REDACTED]

Credit Card Expiration Date: 03/06

Name as it Appears on Credit Card: Robert B. Barnas/Nixon & Vanderhye P.C.

Payment Amount: \$ (U.S. Dollars): \$1,040.00

Signature: Robert B. Barnas/

Date: January 25, 2005

Refund Policy: The Office may refund a fee paid by mistake or in excess of that required. A change of purpose after the payment of a fee will not entitle a party to a refund of such fee. The office will not refund amounts of \$25.00 or less unless a refund is specifically requested, and will not notify the payor of such amounts (37 C.F.R. §1.26). Refund of a fee paid by credit card will be issued as a credit to the credit card account to which the fee was charged.

Service Charge: There is a \$50.00 service charge for processing each payment refused (including a check returned "unpaid") or charged back by a financial institution (37 C.F.R. § 1.21 (m)).

Credit Card Billing Address

Street Address 1: 1100 North Glebe Road

Street Address 2: Suite 800

City: Arlington

State/Province: VA

Zip/Postal Code: 22201

Country: U.S.A.

Daytime Phone #: 703-816-4000

Fax #: 703-816-4100

Request and Payment Information

Description of Request and Payment Information: 1631-Filing Fee (\$300.00); 1633-Examination Fee (\$200.00); 1632-Search Fee (\$500.00); 8021-Recording Fee (\$40.00)

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